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*From Hull, Ireland, and Fraunce,*

AS FIRST THE MANNER OF

*Sr. Iohn Horhams*

## PROTECTION

OF HULL

Discovering a horrible Plot conspi-

red by one Becket a Papist in *Yorkshire* and one

*Fulkes* to admit some Lords

into *Hull*.

*May 24. 1642.*

*20 of June*

With *Fulkes* his loyalty showne to the Parliament in

*not concealing the plot, but revealing it to*

*Sr. Iohn Horham.*

Secondly a Letter sent to *Captaine White* in *London*

From *Thomas Prideaux* in *Ireland* dated from *Dublin*

*the twentieth of May, 1642.*

Concerning a Proclamation lately Proclaimed in *Ireland*.

AS ALSO

3. Remarkable passages at the Seige of *Ayres*, a City

upon the border of *Spain* where for these hundred

yeares, The King of *Spain* hath held it

by force from the King of *Fraunce*

*but now recovered 1642.*

*with an Order from the high Court of Parliament.*

*Io. Brow. Cler. Per.*

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# SR. Iohn Hothams

Protection

## OF HULL

In discovering a horrible Plot conspired by one *Becket* a Papist in *Yorkshire*, and one *Folkes* to admit his Maiestie into *Hull*.

**T**He 28 of *May*. The House of Commons received letters unexpectedly, from Sr. *Iohn Hotham* in full discovery of the conspiracy at *Hull*, May 24. The effect of which letters were, that the said *Becket* had conspired with one *Folkes* his son in law and souldier of Sr. *Iohns* to betray the towne to him and his friends, by opening a gate at one end of the towne on his watch night and to cause a false alarm to be beat at the other end whilst they entered the town, for which he was to have 500 pound presently paid him. And 250 pound per annum, if he performed it.

But the said *Faulkes* made discovery of the Plot to Sr. *Iohn Hotham*, who concealing the same caused the said *Faulkes* to write a letter to the said *Becket*, to informe him that he had contrived the plot according to his desire, who returned Answer that he would not faile of his promise. Whereupon the said *Becket* with a great company of caveleers gentlemen and some Lords in the company came to *Hull* at the time appointed. And at their coming the said Sr. *Iohn Hotham* appeared on the walls with his men,

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completely armed, And told them their treachery was discovered but offered not the least violence to them, And then they fled.

Vpon this letter there was a great debate and the Lawers delivered their oppinions concerning it, the effect whereof that for any to betray any of the Kings forts is treason by Law, whereupon it was ordered *Bekker* should be forthwith sent for to the Parliament. They also received letters from *Beverly*, that his Maiestie hath sent to *Sheifeild*, for 4 peeces of ordinance upon which they ordered to send messengers to make stop thereof.

A LETTER  
SENT TO CAPTAIN E WHITE

in London from Mr. Thomas Prideaux in Ireland dated from Dublin the 16 of May  
1642. and received in London the  
24. of May.

Worthy Sir I have sent you here inclosed the Relation of the King of *France*, the Duke of *Bullogne* Don *Lamboy* generall for *Spain* Monsieur *Shattelloche* generall for *France*, and Count *Swasbam* governour of *Sedan* worthy of observation which I desire you to let my Cosen and friend Captain *Hill* have a sight thereof, It hath bin much reioyced at in those parts of *Ireland*, and the rather in regard it hath bin a weakening to the King of *France* for he hath bin long looked for amongst the Rebels in those parts for a fresh supply of Ammunition and Armes.

Armes but now it is supposed he hath need of them neerer at home, I know you desire to hear of the state of this Kingdome. I will neither add nor diminish but in truth the Kingdome is overspread with the Rebels, their is hardly any one part of this Kingdome secure, save only in the North towards *Londonderry* And if wee have not a new supply of men and Armes, this Kingdome will be without all hopes of recovery or reducing the same to due obedience & subiection to the Crown of *England*.

Wee have long expected a supply from Scotland which is not yet come over as also from England God graunt them a sudden and happy landing.

I make no doubt but you have heard of the death of *Sr. Charles Coote* who was shot in the belly by one of his owne souldiers vnawares, his death was much lamented at in regard of his valour and, good service he hath done in this Kingdome of *Ireland*, I cannot for the present write you any strangs newes more then you have already heard of (only this) we heare that since the proclamation proclaymed in this Kingdome that every one that could bring in such a Traytor dead or aliue should have such a portion of land or a sufficient reward in money, divers of the greater sort of the Reblls have sent vnto the counsell of *Ireland* with a petition to be sent to his Magiesty and Parliment in *England* that if that his Magiesty and Parliment will grant them a genrall pardon with a tolleration of their religion as in *Queene Elizabeths* dayes they woule submit and bring

bring in many thousand more with them.

Thus far I have presumed vpon your patience in exposing these fewelynes to your viewe but hope they will not bee so thought of by your selfe as being but in discharg of that Ingagement which I have long time owed you but opportunity before not permitting me I thought it necessary to pay the same thought not in that manner I desired.

From *Dublin* the  
20 of *May* 1642

Yours with respect  
*Tho. Prideaux.*

*As Also*

Remarckable passages at the Seige of *Ayres* a City vpon the border of *Spain* where for this 100 yeares, the *King of Spaine* hath held it by force from the *King of Fraunce* but now recovered

**M**onsieur *Shattelloche*ife generall for the King of *France* having neere vpon 4 months besieged the City of *Ayres* Don *Lomboy*le governour of the said City, and cheife generall for the King of *Spaines* Army which hee had to goe for *Fraunce* perceiving that hee could not keep it, which drew all his forces and marched towards *Dunsleigh* a Protestant towne in *Fraunce* by which meanes the *French* Army had quiet possession after which *Monsieur Shattello* understanding that *Lomboy*le was marched towards *Dunsleigh* *Shattello*



*Shattello* followed him verry closely, and in his March hee came to *Sedin* a town of the Duke of *Bulloignes*, where he sent and demanded of the Duke contribution for his Mr. the King of *Fraunce*. The Duke denying it, *Shattello* caused his Ordinance to be planted against the towne and battered the walls of the Towne, and slew therein almost 500 brave Cavillers, notwithstanding the Duke resisted his entrance and slew a greater number of *Shattello* his Army, and forced him to raise his siege, the rather because the Duke ioyned with *Lomboyle* his Army cheife generall for *Spaine*, and entertayned all his Army to passe through his Country for his neereſt cut to *Ayres*, where both Armyes meeting being about 50000 souldiers they went hand in hand to the City of *Ayres*, and comming almost within shot of the towne, *Lomboyle* sent to *Monsieur Shattello* to yeild with quietnesse the City of *Ayres* being his Mr. the King of *Spaines* right and inheritance and in case hee shall leave the town quietly, Then to have a convoy for his Carriages and no interruption of any person during their marching into *Fraunce*.

Vpon which words *Shattello* was moved to wrath and sent a challing, to *Lomboyle* and the Duke of *Bulloigne* appointed a place of meeting where he would fight with both their Armyes.

After which *Lomboyle* by the assistance of the Duke of *Bulloigne* marched toward *Shattello* his Army and appointed a set battaill to be fought where for the space of two dayes there was great slaughter on both sides

fidcs and the Duke of Bulloigne and *Lomboyle* flew a-  
bove 2000 of *Shattello* his forces and tooke about  
4000. prisoners and imprisonned them in *Sedan* a  
town also of the duke of *Bulloignes*, & the duke made  
also Proclamation that all those souldiers and prison-  
ners that would serve either the Duke of *Bulloigne* or  
*Lomboyle* should bee entertayned (if not) they should  
every man pay for their ranfome three Months means  
and so to be sent by *Convoy* to their quarters and Ran-  
devow.

Count *Swasbam* a valiant Commander and gover-  
nour of *Sedan*, came also with 10000 souldiers more  
to assist the Duke of *Bulloigne* and *Lomboyle* and in his  
passage towards *Ayres* hee met with *Shattello* his Ar-  
my, and both Armies meeting almost within pikes  
length one of the other, Count *Swasbam* his army was  
broken and seperated and put to flight and divers slain  
whereof the Count himselfe was slaine, the rest of his  
Army was in a trance and ran to their garrison towns  
of *Sedan*.

The King of *Fraunce* hearing of the illsuccesse *Moun-  
seur Shattello* cheife governour of his forces had with  
the Duke of *Bulloigne*, and *Lomboyle* raised a great  
Army the number of 50000 souldiers and threatned  
to be revenged of *Bulloigne* and *Lomboyle* where indeed  
he was for he burnt and spoiled many villages and ha-  
mlet townes. of the Duke, being most part thereof  
Protestants never theless, the Duke at length obtray-  
ned the Conquest and forced the King to remove his  
seige and obtained his owne conditions that is to have  
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the sume of 2500000. pounds of the spoile he had  
done him and his Country and an everlasting place be-  
twene them without paying any Contribution to the  
King of France hereafter which the King yelded there-  
vnto.

Divers Princes Dukes Marquesses and Counties  
some Protestants some Papists are at this present in  
Rebellion against there King the King of France.

Dii Martis 29 Maii 1642.

*It is this day Ordered by the Lords and Commons  
in Parliament assembled, That the Magazines of the se-  
verall Counties in England and Wales, shall be forth-  
with put into the power of the Lords Lieutenants of the  
said Counties, respectively (being such as the Parliament  
doth confide in for the service and safetie of his Maiessty  
and the Kingdom.*

*Ordered in Parliament, That this Order shall be prin-  
ted and published.*

*Ioh. Brown. Clar. Parl.*

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